

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND  
RESOLUTION NO. 2009-101

A RESOLUTION to approve, for federal tax purposes, the issuance of bonds by the La Plata Volunteer Fire Department Incorporated for the purpose of financing a certain project more particularly described in this Resolution; and generally providing for and determining various matters in connection with such bonds.

RECITALS

1. The Board of County Commissioners of Charles County (the "Board") has considered the request of the La Plata Volunteer Fire Department Incorporated, a Maryland not-for-profit corporation (the "VFD"), to approve, for federal tax purposes, the issuance and/or incurrence by the VFD of its tax-exempt bonds, notes or other obligations in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$986,000 (collectively, the "Bonds") to finance the acquisition of two 2010 Pierce Class A Pumper Trucks to be located at the VFD's existing firehouse at 911 Washington Avenue, La Plata, Maryland (the "Project").

2. Section 150(e)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), treats any bonds issued by the VFD, the interest on which is intended to be exempt from federal income taxation, as private activity bonds requiring public approval in accordance with Section 147(f) of the Code. Section 147(f) of the Code requires, as a condition to qualifying the interest on private activity bonds for federal tax exemption, the approval of the governmental unit having jurisdiction over the issuer of the private activity bonds and over the area in which any facility financed with the proceeds of the private activity bonds will be located.

3. The Project will be located within the boundaries of County Commissioners of Charles County (the "County") and the Board constitutes the elected legislative body of the County.

4. The plans for the Project and the proposed issuance of the Bonds to finance the Project have been described to the Board and the Board has conducted a public hearing in connection therewith on this date, as required by Section 147(f) of the Code.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES COUNTY:


Section 1: The Board approves the issuance and/or incurrence of the Bonds by the VFD in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$986,000 for the purpose of financing a portion of the costs of the Project as required by Section 147(f) of the Code, and the applicable proposed, temporary and final regulations thereunder, to assist the VFD in financing the Project with the proceeds of tax-exempt obligations.

Section 2: The approval of the issuance of the Bonds does not constitute an endorsement to a prospective purchaser of the Bonds of the creditworthiness of the Project or the VFD.

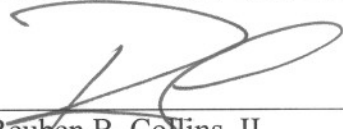
Section 3: The approval of the issuance of the Bonds in no way commits the County to expend any funds on the Project or to pay the debt service on the Bonds and the Bonds will not constitute a debt or pledge of the faith and credit of the State of Maryland or any political subdivision thereof, including the County, and neither the faith nor credit nor taxing power of the State of Maryland or any political subdivision thereof, including the County, will be pledged to the payment of the Bonds.

Section 4: This Resolution takes effect from the date of its adoption.

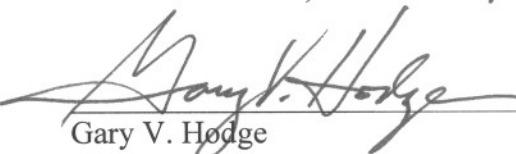
Adopted the 17th day of November, 2009.

  
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